

OWASIPPE SCOUT CAMPS HONORS 1954

Record of
Scout -----

(Print full name in ink)

Troop No.----- Camp-----

NUMERAL
AQUATIC
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**Check the Border Strip you have achieved
this period.**

BY NOON OF THE LAST FULL DAY of the period you should turn this in to the camp clerk. Be sure it has all the signatures necessary to show the Border Strip you have achieved. This book will be **returned** to you as a record of your achievements in camp.

Awards will be made on the last evening of the period. Start now to earn your Numeral and Border Strip.

Chicago Council of the Boy Scouts of America

THE INNER CIRCLE TRAIL

The Inner Circle Trail goes completely around Owasisippe Lake, touching all of the camps. It is a fine afternoon hike for any Scout and will give you an opportunity to get acquainted with the other Owasisippe Lake Camps. Travel the trail slowly and quietly — and observe. If a trail marker is down, please replace it. Be careful of newly-planted pine trees.

In a few years we hope The Inner Circle Trail will be the finest in all America. It needs everyone's help. Your Camp Ranger will be glad to receive suggestions for trail improvement.

The trail needs: Markers — Nature signs — benches — transplants near the trail — Trees identified and markers made.

A GOOD CAMPER

Stays on trails — Keep together.
Pumps water with full, easy strokes.
Washes away from the pump — Down slope.
Cuts only fallen timber.
Burns all garbage.
Buries all tin cans deep.
Puts all fires out — DEAD OUT.
Keeps a clean camp site.

THE CAMP HONORS



Every Scout attending Owasisippe looks forward to receiving a **CAMP NUMERAL** on the last night of each period. Proudly he has it sewn on his right hand shirt pocket . . . you can tell an Owasisippe old timer by the numerals he wears.

But the proudest Scout is the one who earns a **Border Strip**.

There are many camp subjects from which a Scout may choose.

A **Border Strip** may be earned in **Aquatics**, **Craft**, **Explorer**, **Hiking** and **Nature**.

These **Border Strips** are placed around the outside edge of the Owasisippe Camps emblem which you may purchase in the **Camp trading post**, and in **Chicago** from the **Camping Service**, **B. S. A.**

When a Scout has earned all of the Border Strips, his completed emblem resembles the illustrations on page three.

The Scout who has each of the five Border Strips is an Old-Timer who has done things and been places . . . all honor to him! That, together with the Eagle Badge and membership in the Order of the Arrow, is a sign of a good Scout.

Some Facts About The Border Strips

Before you can qualify for a Border Strip, you must earn a 1954 numeral. Only one numeral will be awarded during the camp season.

The camp numeral is awarded only after you pass the numeral requirements.

Border Strips may be purchased at the camp Trading post and in Chicago from the Camping Service, B. S. A. upon presentation of this booklet, properly signed. The Owasippe camp Emblem may be purchased by any camper.

When a Scout has previously passed a greater part of the requirements for the various Border Strips, the particular camp department is authorized to substitute some camp experience of equivalent value in the same field of interest.

THE ORDER OF THE ARROW

Awarded in Chicago or camp to Scouts who in the judgment of their Troop have best shown a spirit of cheerful service to the camp and their Troop and who have exemplified to a high degree the Scout Oath and Law in their daily camp life.

HOW TO EARN THE HONORS

THE CAMP NUMERAL REQUIREMENTS:

You achieve the camp numeral by qualifying in advancement, camp citizenship service, and in one phase of nature study, as told below:

1. Advancement:

(Use latest Hand Book for Boys—B.S.A.)

A. If you are a **Candidate** you must complete and pass all requirements for Tenderfoot Rank.

B. If you are a **Tenderfoot Scout** you must complete and pass all outdoor requirements for Second Class Rank.

C. If you are a **Second Class Scout** you must complete and pass all outdoor requirements for First Class Rank.

✓ D. If you are a **First Class Scout** . . . complete and pass one approved camp merit badge in any one period.

Certified by _____ Date _____
Scoutmaster's Signature

✓ 2. **Citizenship:**

Be a good Scout citizen. This is demonstrated by your having performed your share of the daily Camp, Troop and Patrol duties and activities . . . willingly and cheerfully.

Certified by _____ Date _____
Scoutmaster's Signature

3. **Camp Service:**

Serve for a period of at least two hours in some worthwhile project for the betterment of the Camp. This must be approved in advance and should be other than a routine daily duty.

Certified by _____ Date _____
Director or Administrator or Coordinator

✓ 4. Pass at least one of the requirements listed for the Owasippe Naturalist Border Strip.

Bearer has passed requirement No. _____

Certified by _____ Date _____
Troop Leader or Ranger

THE OWASIPPE BORDER STRIP REQUIREMENTS AQUATIC BORDER STRIP

Date Awarded_____

To achieve the Aquatic Border Strip you must demonstrate and have full and complete knowledge of the following requirements:

1. Show proper spirit of cooperation in the maintenance of the water front, having correct knowledge of Safety, care and usage of Aquatic equipment. Broken or damaged equipment must be paid for by the camper.

Certified by _____
Aquatic Staffman

2. Complete at least one of the following at camp this year:

(a) An Aquatic Merit Badge_____

(b) Scout Life Guard_____

(c) A. R. C. Life Saver_____

(d) Owasippe Skipper _____

Certified by _____
Aquatic Staffman

3. Serve satisfactorily as a member of a Troop War Canoe crew, Troop canoe trip or other aquatic team.

Certified by _____
Aquatic Staffman

4. Teach at least one non-swimmer, selected by the Aquatic Director, to achieve the Beginner Test.

Certified by _____
Aquatic Staffman

5. Assist in at least Two Troop Swims using the "Eight Defense Plan."

Certified by _____
Scoutmaster

CRAFT BORDER STRIP

Date Awarded _____

To achieve the Crafters Border Strip, you must demonstrate and have full and complete knowledge of the following requirements:

1. Show proper spirit of cooperation in use and care of all equipment and the maintenance of the Craft Lodge, sharing in the clean-up at the end of the daily period. Broken or damaged equipment must be paid for by the camper.

Certified by _____
(Ranger-Craftsman)

2. Achieved First Class

Requirement No. 3A—Camp Making—sharpen an axe and use it for cutting light wood into tent pegs.

Certified by _____
Scoutmaster

3. Make an Individual — Patrol or Troop — Cooking Kit, by using tin cans, and cook at least one outdoor meal in the gear made.

Certified by _____
Scoutmaster

4. Complete one of the approved Craft Merit Badges:

Certified by _____
(Ranger-Craftsman)

5. Assist your Troop Leader in craft activities by serving as instructor for your Troop.

Certified by _____
Scoutmaster

EXPLORER BORDER STRIP

Date Awarded _____

To achieve the Explorer Border Strip, you must be at least 14 years of age.

1. Complete Explorer Apprentice Outdoor Requirements or Second Class Rank in Scouting.

Certified by _____
Scoutmaster

2. Complete eight (8) of the projects in any single Group of Skills required by Explorer Ratings (See Exploring Advancement Chart of Explorer booklet Cat., No. 3217-BSA).

(Write In)

Rating: _____ Skills _____ Examiners

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Certified by _____

Scoutmaster

or achieve Owaspippe Skipper rating.

Aquatic Staffman

HIKER'S BORDER STRIP

Date Awarded _____

To achieve the Hiker's Border Strip, you must demonstrate and have full and complete knowledge of the following requirements:

- ✓ 1. Camping Merit Badge (except the 50 nights overnight camping requirement).

Certified by _____
(Ranger) or (S. M.)

- ✓ 2. Pioneering Merit Badge

Certified by _____
(Ranger) or (S. M.)

- ✓ 3. Cooking Merit Badge.

Certified by _____
(Ranger) or (S. M.)

(Practical requirements of the three merit badges above must be demonstrated while on the trail with your patrol or troop).

- ✓ 4. Serve as an assistant to your Troop Leader by teaching nature lore to your Troop.

Certified by _____
Scoutmaster

- ✓ 5. Take at least one exploration hike on one of the Owasippe trails, not sand, gravel, or paved roads, demonstrating practical use of compass and map to your patrol or troop. Know location of principal points of interest in Owasippeland. (See Owasippe trail map.) Give proof of putting out all fires . . . cleaning up campsites, taking field notes of nature and other observations en route.

Certified by _____
(Scoutmaster)

6. Show proper spirit of cooperation in the maintenance of the hiking equipment. Broken or damaged equipment must be paid for by the camper or his troop.

Certified by _____
(Ranger)

NATURE BORDER STRIP

Date Awarded _____

In order to achieve the Naturalist's Border Strip you must demonstrate and have full and complete knowledge of the following requirements:

1. Show proper spirit of cooperation in the maintenance of the Nature Trails, Museum and Turtle Pond.

Certified by _____
(Ranger)

2. Point out three constellations while on a star hike with your patrol or troop.

Certified by _____
(Ranger) or (S. M.)

3. Make an acceptable contribution to the Nature Lodge, Trails or Turtle Pond.

Certified by _____
(Ranger)

4. Complete any two of the following while on a troop or patrol activity: (Encircle the items chosen).

- a.) Find evidence, in natural surroundings, of at least six different kinds of wild mammals, birds, reptiles or fish. Identify them.
- b.) Find and identify Blister Rust—know of its destructiveness and its control.
- c.) Take active part in an expedition to clear a fire break, or improve an approved camp trail, or other expedition approved by Camp Director and Owasippe office.
- d.) Find and identify poison ivy and know first aid treatment for same.
- e.) Find and identify four different edible wild greens, roots or fruits—(Be sure of their identity before trying to eat them).
- ✓ f.) Make a plaster cast of a bird or animal track, or make six drawings of leaves.

✓ Certified by -----
(Ranger) or (S. M.)

5. Complete during stay at camp this summer any one of the nature Merit Badges: (Second class scouts may substitute 1st class requirements (3B) — Wood Lore and (4B) —Edible Wild Plants).

Nature Merit Badge Completed -----

Certified by -----
(Ranger)

KEEP YOUR HONOR BOOKLET

If Honor booklet is lost an oral and demonstrative review by the particular camp department is authorized.

DO NOT LOSE THIS BOOKLET

IT IS A RECORD OF YOUR

CAMP ACHIEVEMENT

IF YOU FIND ANOTHER

SCOUT'S BOOKLET, YOU ARE

ON YOUR HONOR TO RETURN

IT TO HIM AT ONCE.



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